

NOT FOR CITATION
IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

EDIE L. BEAVERS,)	No. C 05-2677 PJH (PR)
)	
Plaintiff,)	ORDER OF TRANSFER
)	
vs.)	
)	
MERCED COUNTY SHERIFF'S)	
OFFICER ORTEGA,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

This is a civil rights case brought pro se by a state prisoner. The acts complained of occurred at the Merced County Jail. Merced County is in the Eastern District of California. The defendant, a jail officer, probably resides in the Eastern District. See 28 U.S.C. § 1391(b). Venue, therefore, properly lies in that district and not in this one.

This case is TRANSFERRED to the United States District Court for the Eastern District of California. See 28 U.S.C. § 1406(a). In view of the transfer, the Court will not rule upon plaintiff's request for leave to proceed in forma pauperis.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: July 7, 2005.



PHYLLIS J. HAMILTON
United States District Judge